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> New U.S. Patent Application Title: **PROCESS FOR PREPARING A TRADEMARK APPLICATION** Inventors and Addresses:

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- 1. Application 19 pages, including 1 independent claim and 14 claims total.
- 2. The filing fee is calculated as follows:



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Basic Application Filing Fee	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims			
Total Claims	14	-	20	0	x \$18		
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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). Applicants await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration.

Applicants claim the right to priority based on French Patent Application No. 00 12397, filed on September 29, 2000.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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